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## COMMENTS ON ALLOWANCE AND STATEMENT ON DECLARATION

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance and Fees Due, Applicant notes herein that the PTO did not include an Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance.

Applicant also encloses, herein, a substitute Declaration and Power of Attorney to replace any previously filed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

Dated: October 13, 2008 Respectfully submitted,

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